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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Yoshinori SHIBATA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3724

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**SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER  
FINAL REJECTION**

Honorable Commissioner of  
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**REMARKS**

In a telephone follow up with the Examiner on January 14, 2002, the Examiner indicated that she had not yet received this Second Amendment After Final Rejection, which was facsimile transmitted to her on December 12, 2001, and thereby requested the Applicants to re-submit it via facsimile.

As a result of a telephone interview with the Examiner on December 11, 2001, which, as an initial matter, the Applicants' representatives would like to thank the Examiner for taking the time to discuss the case, the restriction of claims 26, 39, 45, 53 and 55-59 still stands as being directed to inventions that are patentably distinct from the invention

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